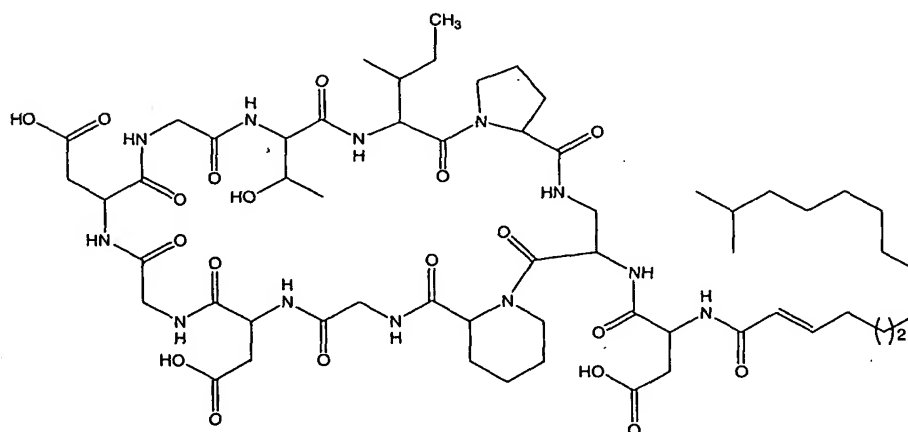


1. The compound AW998A which has the structure:

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2. The compound AW998B which has the structure:



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6. A pharmaceutical composition comprising an effective amount of a compound selected from the group AW998A, AW998B, AW998C and AW998D or combinations thereof together with one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers.

5           7. A process for the preparation of a compound selected from the group AW998A, AW998B, AW998C and AW998D or combinations thereof which comprises cultivating *Streptomyces* designated LL-AW998 or a mutant thereof under aerobic conditions, in a sterile liquid medium containing assimilable sources of carbon, nitrogen and inorganic anion and cation salts, until substantial antibiotic activity is  
10 imparted to said medium by the production of a compound selected from the group AW998A, AW998B, AW998C and AW998D, or combination thereof, recovering and isolating compounds selected from the group AW998A, AW998B, AW998C and AW998D or combinations thereof.

15           8. A disinfectant composition comprising an effective amount of a compound selected from the group AW998A, AW998B, AW998C and AW998D or combinations thereof together with one or more acceptable disinfectant carriers.